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Assessment of the Probability of Autochthonous Transmission of Chikungunya Virus in Canada under Recent and Projected Climate Change

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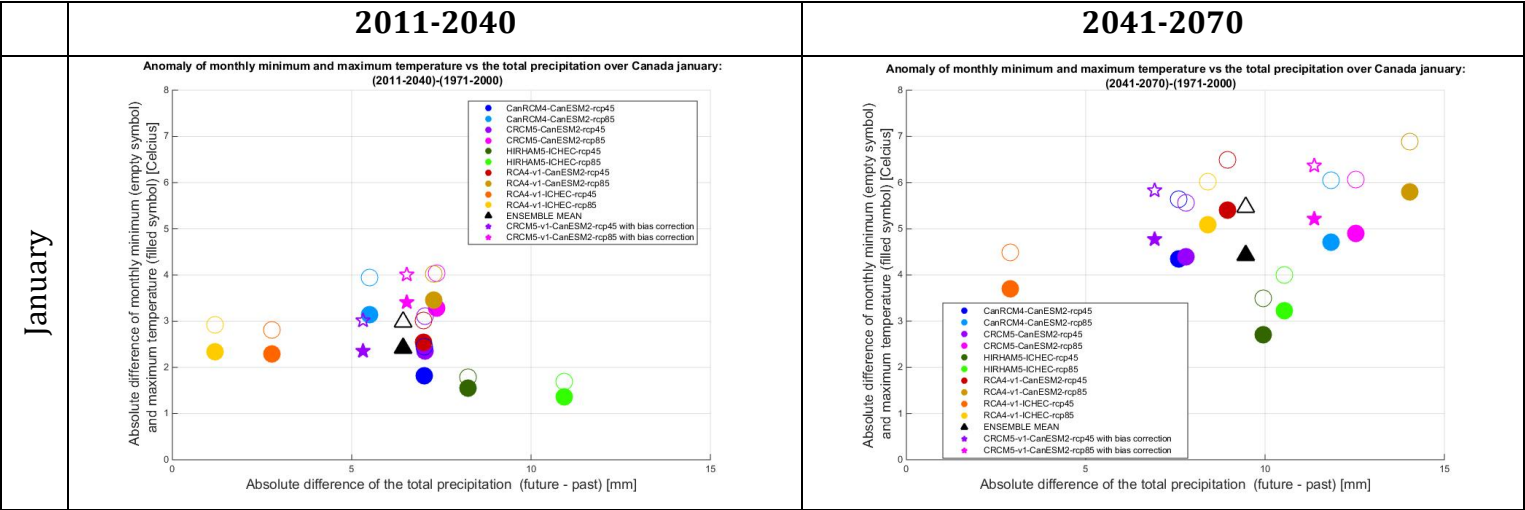
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The figures in Figure S1 show the monthly mean of climate change for one month in winter (January) and the three summer months (June, July and August). We used two distinct future period (2011-2040) and (2041-2070) with respect to the historical reference period (1971-2000). The y-axis is for temperature and x-axis for total precipitation. For each RCM, climate change signal is computed by making the absolute difference between the future and the current climatological mean.

Filled circle symbols represent maximum temperature and hollowed circle symbols represent minimum temperature. The black triangle represents the ensemble RCM mean. The star symbols represent the climate change signal calculated with CRCM5 driven both by CanESM2-RCP4.5 and CanESM2-RCP8.5 with bias correction (corrected using the Linear Scaling approach). The Linear Scaling approach adjusts RCM time series with correction values based on the relationship between long-term mean monthly observed values (30-year climatological data over the period 1976-2015) and RCM control run values. This control run corresponds to the CRCM5 model driven by CanESM2 global climate model.



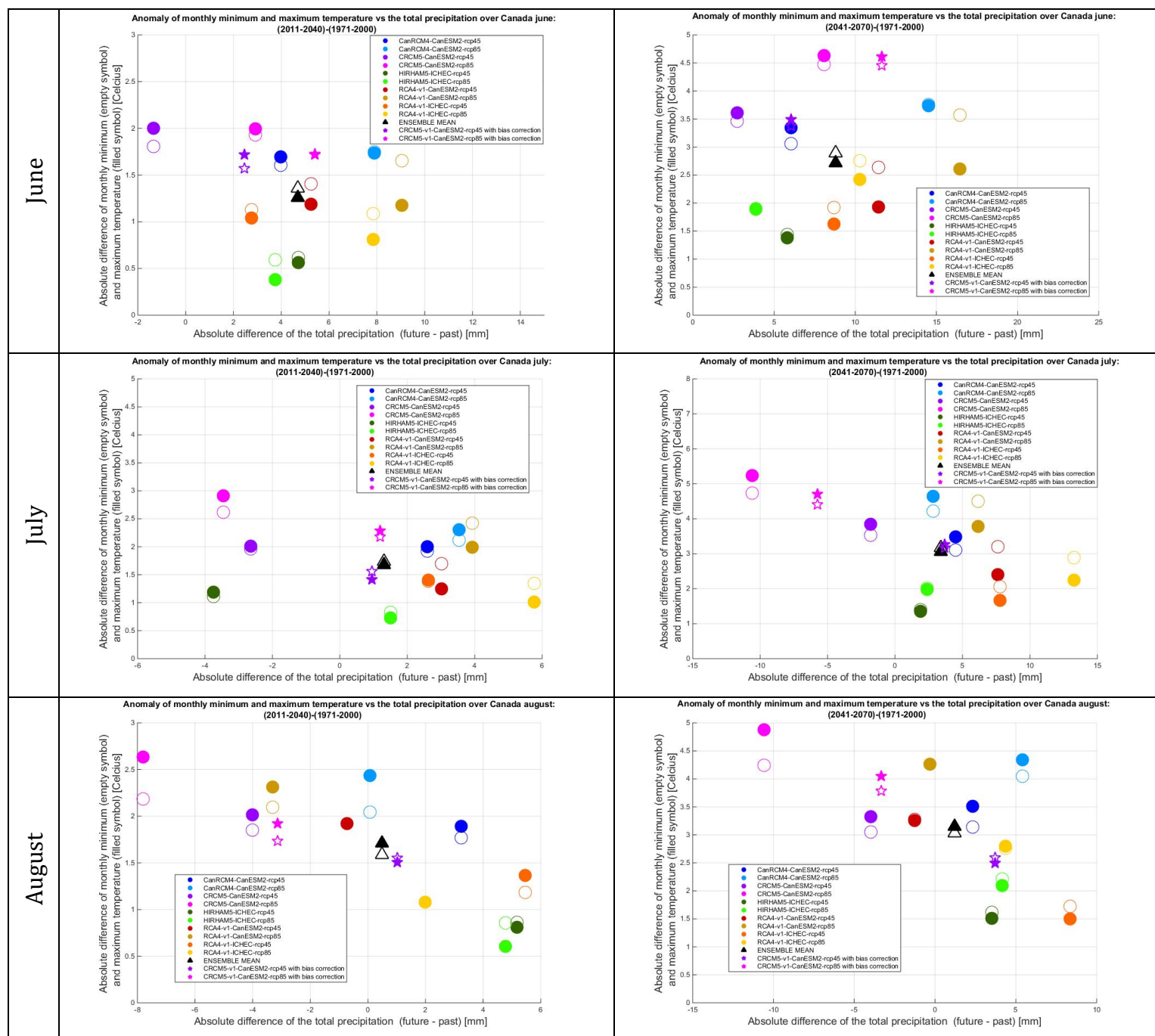


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CHIKV transmission potential (R_0)	R_0 cut-offs	Corresponding temperature	Climatic suitability for the presence of <i>Aedes albopictus</i> (SIG index)				
			Very unsuitable	Moderate	High	Very high	Totally suitable
			<66.7	≥66.7 - <75	≥75 - <85	≥85 - <95	≥95 - 100
	$R_0 \leq 0.5$	10°C to < 19.8°C and ≥36.5°C					
	$0.5 < R_0 \leq 0.7$	≥19.8°C to <20.7°C and ≥35.5°C to <36.5°C					
	$0.7 < R_0 \leq 0.9$	≥20.7°C to <21.5°C and ≥34.8°C to <35.5°C					
	$0.9 < R_0 \leq 1.0$	≥21.5°C to <21.8°C and ≥34.5 to <34.8°C					
	$R_0 > 1.0$	≥21.8°C to <34.5°C					
Overall CHIKV suitability risk categories			Unsuitable	Rather unsuitable	Partly suitable	Rather suitable	Suitable

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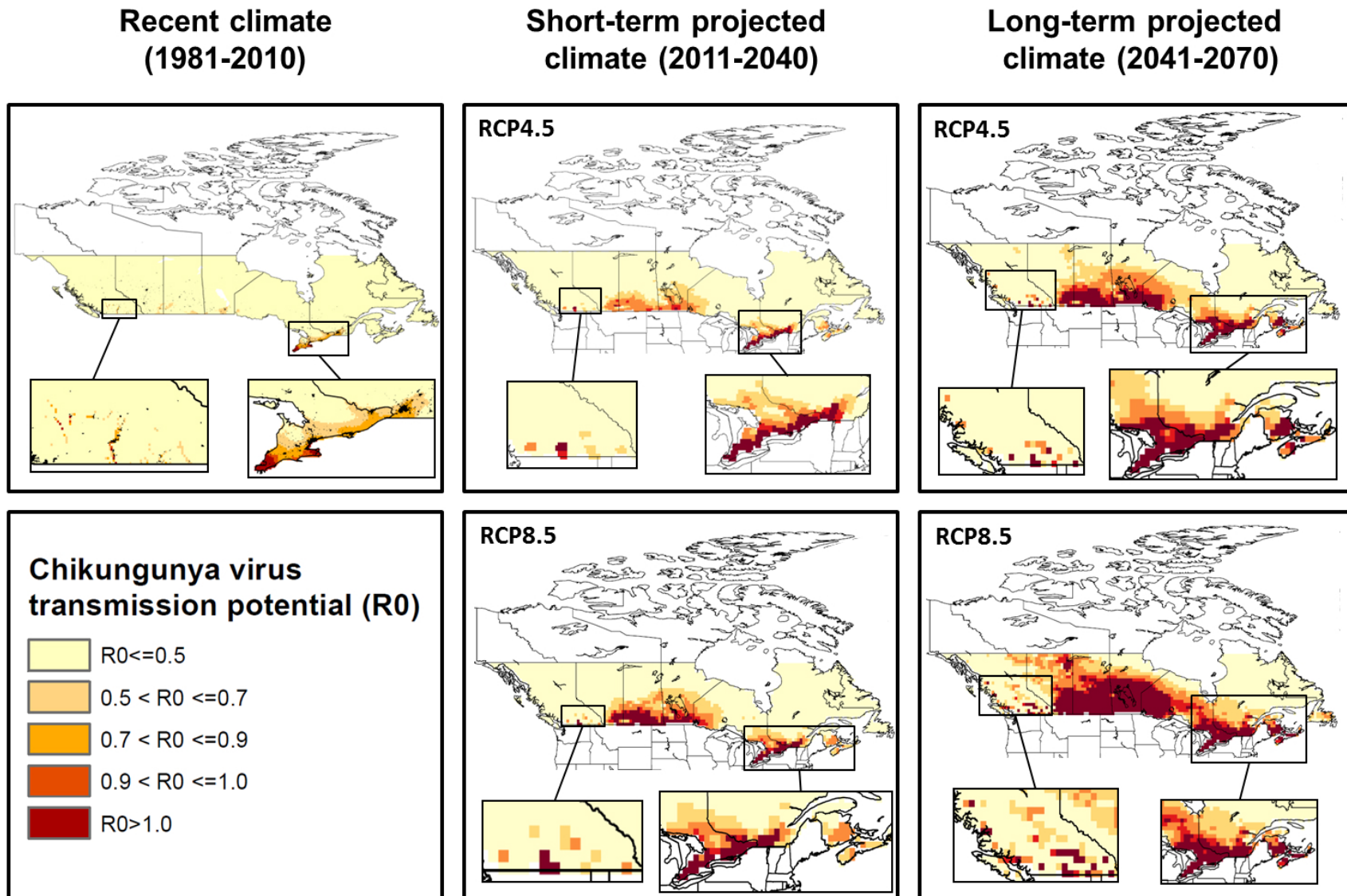


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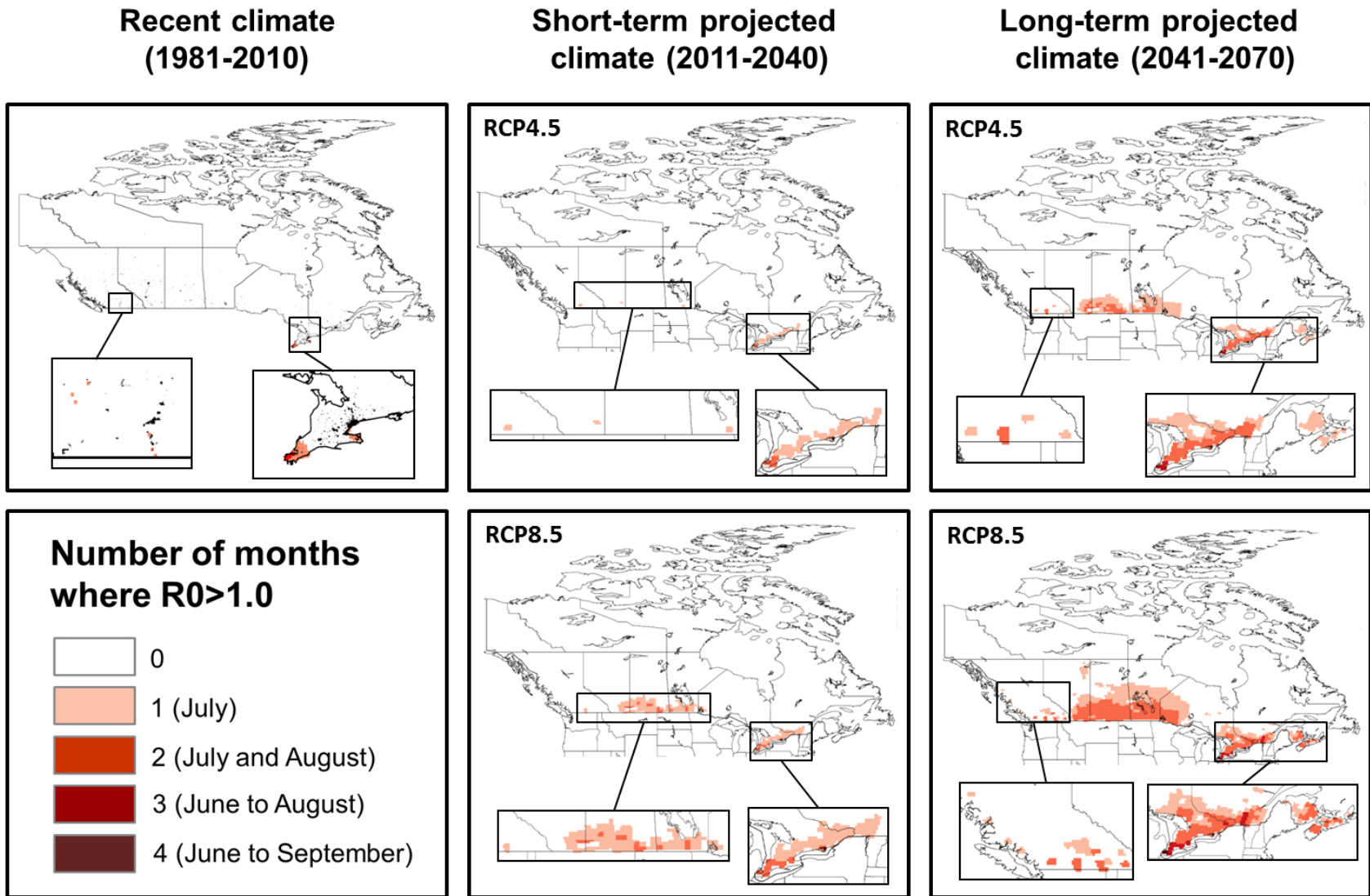


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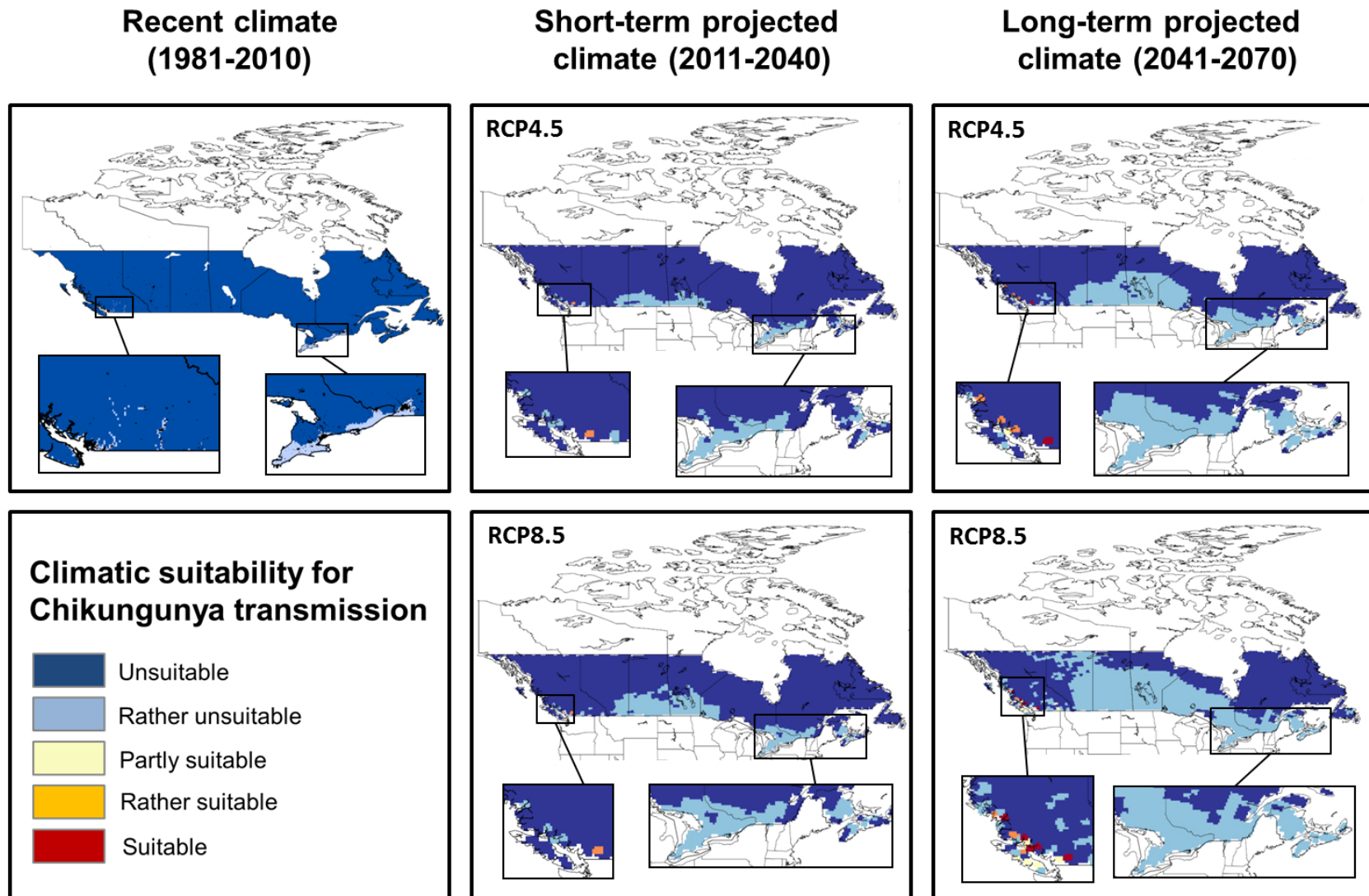


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